Pictured are Brothers Kenneth, Dean, Arthur, Sidney and Rian who have given their time to coaching duties in preparation for the Flea-Fly Classic. Missing from picture is Brother Ronan. Brothers in the true sense of the word, they have interested themselves without reservation in the welfare of our little gridsters.

Fleas - Flies Clash In Thirty - Third Contest; Annual Charity Tilt Excites Great Interest Among Fans Throughout Entire Southland

Thanks

It has been the gracious custom of Mr. Joseph B. David III of New Orleans to supply annually the tickets and posters for the Flea-Fly classic. We take this occasion to show him that we appreciate this generous gesture and that he will continue to promote this worthy cause. It is our assurance that he experiences the tremendous good he has wrought.

The contest that has no equal in Bantam Team History throughout the Southland—the battle of the Fleas and Flies—comes to us to-day with all the spectacular show accompanying it.

This game marks the Thirty-Third meeting between the squads—a game with as interesting a show as that seen on many a grid-iron this week-end throughout the Nation between traditional rivals. Thrills there will be in abundance; mistakes galore; and plays executed which never before- have been attempted. It is a sure bet that a coach or two will be as much surprised from their seats on the bench as will be the spectators in the stands. Such is the Flea-Fly Clash!

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OFFICIALS NAMED FOR GRID CONTEST

The officials for this all important encounter have been carefully selected from an All-American panel. It was not an easy task to secure those who would render unbiased decisions. This annual affair has reached such tremendous proportions that the greater majority of people within a fifty mile radius have taken upon themselves to carry the banners of either the Fleas or their arch-enemies, the Flies.

But, in spite of these obstacles, and after a strenuous search, these capable officials have been appointed. Heading the list is our own coach Richard Thames who has been signed up as head referee. Coach Michael Powers will act as umpire. Local boy, Eddie Blaize, will take over as head linesman. Brother Leonard will be the official time keeper as he has so often been in the past. The yard stick holders are held by former participants of this classic, namely Lucien Gex, Gary Gilmore and Joseph Scafidi.

Mathematicians Only Could Solve This One

If you are a mathematician, perhaps you can figure this one out. How many quarters has a whole? The writer will not offer this as an issue for debate; but will simply refer you to the chaps running the show who insist that this game has six quarters! Well, there can be only one possible way of looking at it. This little contest must be a GAME AND A HALF!

Committees Drafted By Brother Leonard

An affair of this sort—the Bantam Grid Game cannot be presented without preparations of gigantic proportions and the need for volunteers to assist in making this undertaking a success is paramount.

Committees have been organized to expedite procedure and boys to do the job have been "drafted" by Brother Leonard, affable director of events.

Committees and members are here named:

POSTER COMMITTEE — Alex Mansur, Ruben Mansur; POOL COMMITTEE—Roy Gulotta, Ray Ansardi; FIELD COMMITTEE—Vincent Liberto, Norman Carnovale; BUTTON COMMITTEEE—Jerry LaNasa, Wallace Papadopolo, James Becnel, Philip Chisesi, Peter Latino, James Cassidy, John Matranga, Joseph Bruiglio, Jimmy Grace, Louis Doucet, Ernest Posey, Joseph Smith, and Antonio Elosua.

Warriors In To-Day's Battle Make Known Future Ambitions

What can be said about the future of these little warriors who are going to show their wares to the general public this afternoon before what is always a very appreciative audience?

No matter what fans may think, these lads ranging from six years to twelve, do have very definite ideas as to what they intend to do in later life.

True, many of them intend to keep up their football prowess for the REST OF THEIR LIVES; Others have expressed their desire of going to College. Such names as Tulane, Notre Dame, Michigan, University of Mexico, West Point, Ole Miss., Minnesota, Texas A & M, Wisconsin, Loyola, Holy Cross, and Oregon are mentioned with regularity as the Universities to which they want to "matriculate." "Big" names, it seems, have predominence. One wonders if football successes have to any extent warranted such choices.

As for ambitions in life, at least ten have mentioned the Priesthood; five, the Brotherhood. Cowboys, aviators, soldiers, scientists, doctors, dentists, F. B. I. men, fishermen, druggists, bankers, wrestlers, office workers, wholesale liquor dealers—all are listed in abundance.

Unusual occupations were also to be found. William Martin wants to be a stevedore Richard Daigle a prize-fighter; Edmond Blaize, a bull - dozer driver. For Timmy Shafer to manage his selections, he would have to be gifted with trilocation for he wants to play football for Tulane, baseball for the Pelicans, and basketball for Notre Dame. Others want to be great stars—no matter the category—just let it rest there.

INTEREST AT ALL TIME HIGH FOR GRID TILT

Interest is at an all time high for the Flea-Fly game. Supporters for both sides are very enthusiastic. It is not uncommon to hear, "Down with the Flies, or yea, Fleas." Cheerleaders are Jerry Martin, Sylvia Ladner, and Walter Powell for the Fleas. The Flies have Louise Piazza, Jo Ann Bontemps, and Ronald Gross leading their followers at the game. Give the cheerleaders your whole-hearted support.

Fans Take Hesitant Delight In Guessing Score Of Flea-Fly Game

Even the Flea-Fly Contest is not without taint of the questionable art of score guessing; and fans take hesitant delight in making decisions about the outcome, knowing that anything can happen in this game and usually does.

This "pool" differs somewhat from those which are running rampant throughout the country these days. Bettors know that their guess is not a sure thing; and, besides, the profit for the picker de luxe is not a financial investment. They have become educated to the fact that this is not a matter of personal benefit and that they are really making a donation, the proceeds of which go to the general "pot" for the Brother Peter Christmas Tree Fund.

In charge of the "pool" this year are two former players in this game—Roy Gulotta and Ray Ansardi. Returns should be surprisingly satisfactory with these two go-getters on the fans' trail.

Noteworthy of mention is that this little activity was the brainchild of Walter Cleveland, a Flea in 1940. His knowledge of psychology was sufficient to make him realize that the average person is inclined to bet just for the sake of betting; and rightly "figured" that such inclination would pay off dividends financially for this great cause of helping the needy come Christmas time.

PROBABLE STARTING LINE-UPS FOR TODAY

SQUAD I

Flies	Pos.	Fleas
Sidney Doussan	LE	Bernard Wolfe
Richard Daigle	LT	Louis Doucet
Alvin Scafidi	LG	Billy Lucas
Eddie Harrell	C	Donald Strong
William Cassidy	RG	Rayburn Favre
Albert Saucier	RT	Antonio Elosua
Larry Mathes	RE	Bobby Ladner
Wm. Martin	QB	Jack Calhoun
W. Santa Cruz	FB	Donald Rowan
W. Papadopolo	RH	Philip Chisesi
Leo Dronet	LH	Julian Marse

SQUAD II

Flies	Pos.	Fleas
George Perry	LE	Thomas Kidd
George Cassard	LT	Mike Demoran
Don Monteleone	LG	Timmy Schafer
Thomas Karl	C	Speedy Rhodes
John Sebastian	RG	M. Shettlemore
John Demoran	RT	Nick Chisesi
Joe Lucas	RE	Patrick Glover
Louis Maumus	QB	John Glover
Billy Prewitt	FB	Walter Gex
R. Guastella	RH	Billy Rhodes
John Lewis	LH	K. Artigues

SQUAD III

Fleas	Pos.	Flies
Lamar Ladner	LE	Terry Ladner
Curtis Thomas	LT	Carlo Scafidi
Henry Lang	LG	Pat Curran
Billy Kennedy	C	Donald Green
Lloyd Cuevas	RG	D. Compretta
Alcine Johnson	RT	John Saucier
R. Morreale	RE	Edmond Blaize
Jimmy Raymond	Q	Leroy Necaise
Jimmy Choina	LH	Herman Jacobi
R. Strong	RH	Gary Karl
Ronald Artigues	FB	Joe E. Loiacano

FLEA-FLY PARADE

The Annual Flea-Fly parade which has become an institution here follows the usual route—down Main Street to Necaise Avenue and thence to the stadium escorted by the Bay High and St. Stanislaus Bands. Every squadman participates as a conditioner for the grid battle to follow.

Captain Named

Before the opening whistle the captain, of the day is named after which he and his follow-up will recieve awards for their generous contribution via the selling of tickets—the only way by which the captain and mate are chosen.

Charity Tilt

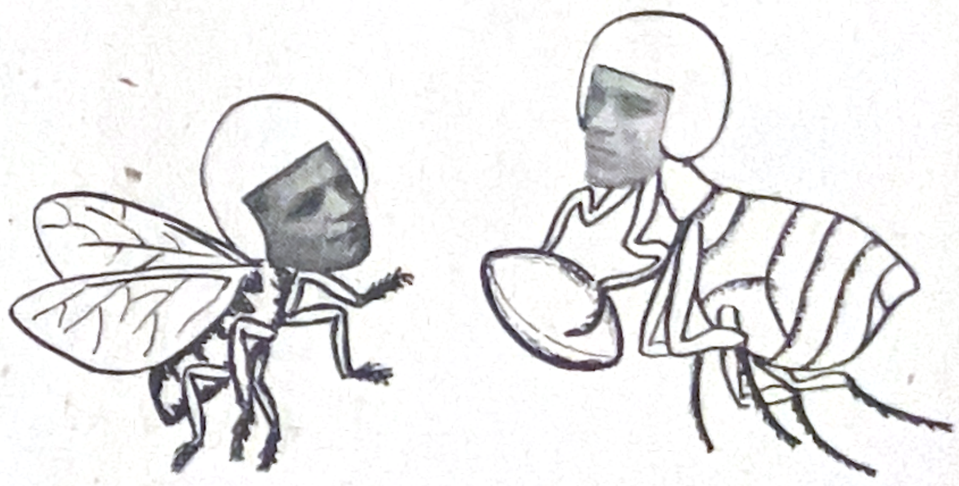
Being a charity tilt, it has been the custom over the years to carry on this "big classic" of the year without the usual splash of awards seen in other bowl games. The Christmas Tree must be provided for; and the tots participating are the ones responsible for the many happy Christmases experienced by many less fortunate children here in Bay Saint Louis.

KICK-OFF FOR ANNUAL GAME SET FOR 2 P. M.

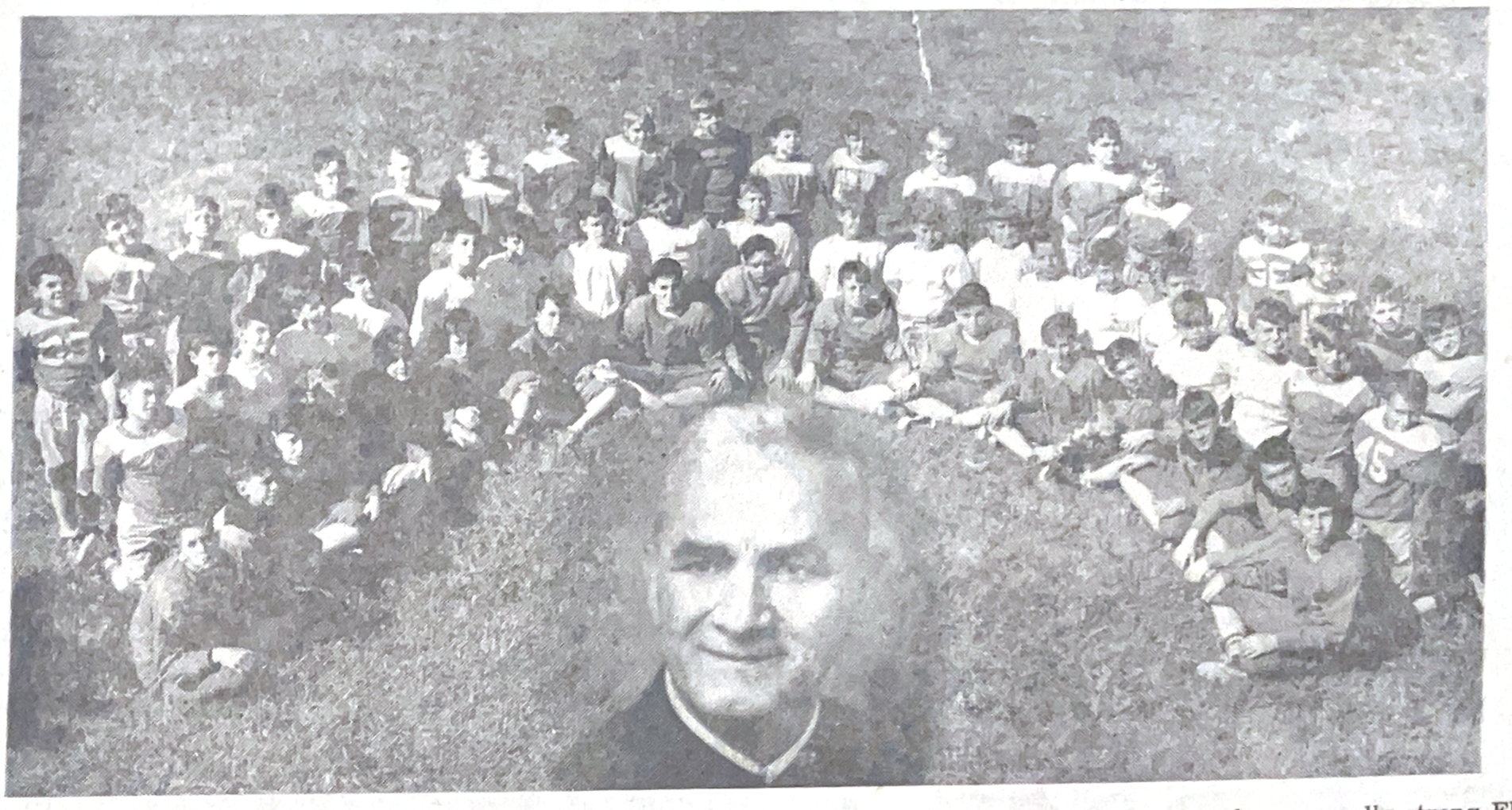
Kick-off for the annual classic will take place promptly at 2:00 p. m. No half-time show is on the program because the game itself is to last a full 90 minutes of actual playing time. Adhering to custom, Brother coaches will see to it that each one of the 125 squadmen will see considerable action.

Appreciation

Thanks to A. G. Favre, our Printer and to Albert Landry, our engraver who worked so hard to make the deadline for our Flea-Fly Edition. Another testimonial of the interest fans have in the Flea-Fly Game.



The Flea-Fly Contest always brings to the fore memories of the past. Jimmy Holmes and Paul Palermo, though now members of the Rock-A-Chaw Varsity, do not have to revert far back to recall when they also were members of the Flea-Fly aggregations. Jimmy Holmes was the Captain of the Flies and also participated in the Birmingham Toy Bowl in 1946. Paul Palermo also saw action in the same contest.



The Fleas here pictured have forgotten nothing in their plan of attack against what they know to be an equally strong Fly aggregation. One can't possibly reconcile the opinions of opposing forces when after reading about the Flies' optimist he finds that Hubert Junca has predicted a 50-0 score favoring the Fleas. It should be a high-scoring contest!

FLEAS . . .

Jersey	Player	Age	Where Born	Yrs. on Squad
50	Barry Bontemps	11	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	3
25	Jack Calhoun	12	New Orleans, La.	3
14	Philip Chisesi	13	New Orleans, La.	2
23	Tommy Crooks	11	Rayne, La.	1
57	Louis Doucet	12	Opelousas, La.	1
10	Antonio Elosua	13	Monterey, Mexico	2
17	Buddy Engelhorn	11	New Orleans, La.	1
15	Donald Engelhorn	14	New Orleans, La.	3
22	Rayburn Favre	13	New Orleans, La.	1
51	Eddie Gutknecht	11	Gulfport, Miss.	1
13	Hubert Junca	11	New Orleans, La.	2
21	Robert Ladner	12	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	3
42	Billy Lucas	12	New Orleans, La.	3
19	Julian Marse	13	Marrero, La.	3
48	Don Rowan	12	New Orleans, La.	1
41	Donald Strong	11	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	2
16	Ronald Wheat	11	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
36	Bernard Wolfe	12	New Orleans, La.	5
10	Charles Abate	9	New Orleans, La.	1
1	Marcel Anderson	10	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	4
8	Kenneth Artigues	10	New Orleans, La.	6
4	Charles Brandon	11	Beaumont, Texas	1
11	Nick Chisesi	10	New Orleans, La.	1
4	Mike Demoran	10	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
14	James Ellis	10	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
8	Lucien Favre	10	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
9	Walter Gex	10	Bay St. Louis, Miss	5
14	John Glover	12	New Orleans, La.	6
12	Patrick Glover	9	New Orleans, La.	1
2	Thomas Kidd	10	New Orleans, La.	1
6	Larry Ladner	10	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
3	Robert Martin	9	Guatemala City	1
7	Lawrence Noto	10	Waveland, Miss.	1
11	Carl Plescia	10	New Orleans, La.	1
7	Billy Rhodes	10	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	4
3	Speedy Rhodes	10	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	5
12	August Scafidi	10	New Orleans, La.	4
5	Timmy Schafer	10	Fargo, North Dakota	1
6	Monty Shettlemore	9	New Orleans, La.	1
9	Sheldon Seuzeneau	7	New Orleans, La.	2
92	Ronald Artigues	9	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
99	Jimmy Choina	8	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
30	Lloyd Cuevas	9	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
10	Forrest Favre	9	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
3	Larry Favre	6	New Orleans, La.	5
49	Louis Jacobi	8	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
21	Alcine Johnson	8	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
20	Billy Kennedy	6	New Orleans, La.	1
4	Gerald Kennedy	9	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
11	Gerald Kenon	9	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	2
21	Lamar Ladner	9	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
36	Henry Lang	6	New Orleans, La.	1
45	Dennis Mercadal	8	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
91	William Monti	7	New Orleans, La.	1
31	Richard Morreale	6	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
44	Carlus Pucheu	9	New Orleans, La.	1
98	Jimmie Raymond	7	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
38	Kenneth Stieffel	7	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	2
1	Stevie Stieffel	8	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
47	Raymond Strong	7	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
39	Curtis Thomas	7	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
2	Billy Brink			

Last "Two Seconds" May Decide Contest

Many things about the Flea-Fly football border on the unorthodox, but this does not bother Brother Leonard. He thinks nothing of making the announcement, "There will be three quarters in each half," and his youthful gridders take the announcement without a flicker of surprise.

Timing is a matter of judgment—Brother Leonard's judgment. Many a touchdown play has been executed in the last "two seconds" of some Flea-Fly Classic.

Despite all the keen competition ticket sales, and other activities involving too much time and space to mention, Brother Leonard manages everything smoothly. Hard feelings are unheard of; and the end of each Flea-Fly Classic finds happy winners, good-natured losers, pleased spectators, and a tidy sum of money for the Annual Christmas Tree.

Little Saint Nicks Real Grid Troupers

Everything happens in this game it is learned from reliable sources; and it would not require too much of a stretch of the imagination to hear of some boy of questionable eligibility, don a uniform, put himself into the fray and win the tilt for the glory of some other unsuspected Alma Mater.

Though the rivalry is intense; though the school itself is divided into two opposing camps, there will be no display of "fire-works" often seen on College Grid-irons when the traditional clash ends. On the contrary there will be hand clasps, general rejoicing over the success of the endeavor, and the signing of peace pacts posted. The little troupers will have concluded their show and will step from their roles of make-believe into ones of reality. They can in all truthfulness be called the "Little Saint Nicks" of the Grid.

Stanislaus Bows In Great Battle to GCMA

Playing their finest in their season's finale, the Saint Stanislaus Rock-A-Chaws lost to a highly favored Gulf Coast Academy team 32-19 but only after giving the highly-tooted Cadets the fight of their lives in what was the GCMA's first Homecoming in its history.

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These boys are rrom Guatemala City, Monterey, Mexico and Copenhagen. Denmark.

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Brother Leonard, beloved major-domo of the Fleas and Flies is back on the job again. For ten consecutive years Brother had directed this classic here at St. Stanislaus, until obedience called him away during the 1948-49 school session. Now, after a year's stay at Catholic High of Baton Rouge, he is once more directing the activities of his beloved insect league.

Our Fly Gridmen who have ambitions this afternoon when they line up against their perennial foes in a tilt that should be a "humdinger" from start to finish. One of these hopefuls who takes an optimistic view of the whole matter disagrees however. Richard Daigle says, "The Flies will win 100-0." A commitment such as this may hurt the Fly cause to no end when the Fleas read about it.

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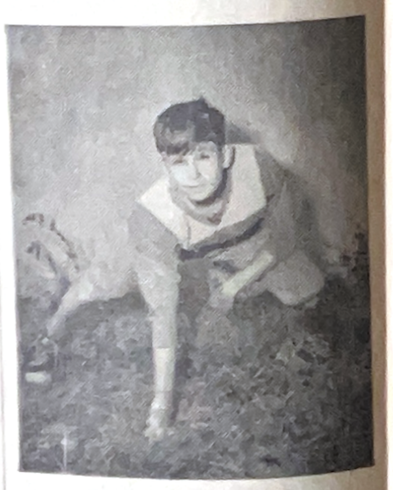
Larry Fayard, eleven year older, who has seen competition in this annual show for the past seven years. He started his career at the age of four. When he gets to the High school department, there will be no bemoaning the fact that he is an inexperienced gridster; for some twelve years in football will be his boast by the time he graduates from St. Stanislaus High School.

Boys who have participated in this contest over periods of five and six years are pictured here. They are Donald Cuevas, Walter Gex, Kenny Artigues, John Glover. Bernard Wolfe, Billy Prewitt, and Robert Ladner. This may be the final game for several of these boys who by next year this time may be too heavy for competition.



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Choose 4 Stanislaus Boys For The State Band Clinic

The 1949 state band clinic will be held in Biloxi at the Buena Vista Hotel. The clinic is sponsore . by the Mississippi Band Directors Association. Dan Jensen, director of the Biloxi high school band, is general chairman and will be assisted by the band directros from the coast schools.

Four St. Stanislaus students have been selected to play in one of the two all-state 90 piece bands which will be under the direction of Mr. Donald I. Moore, director of bands, Baylor University, Waco, Texas. The students chosen from the Stanislaus band are: Norbert Carnovale, 1st chair solo cornet; Norman Carnovale, solo clarinet; Jack Dresher, solo trombone, Henry Cap epon. saxaphone. The following names were also sent in but they were not chosen: Sal D'Angelo, cornet; Paul Hurley, alto saxaphone.

The two 90 piece clinic bands are made up of students selected from high school band students throughout the state. This year there are 54 high school bands represented. Directors recommend only the best of musicians for these bands, which means that these two clinic bands will rate very high.

Clinic students will report to Biloxi Thursday night, Dec 8. On Friday morning, the clinic program will get in full swing. These bands will rehearse for two days under the guest conductor. On Saturday night, December 10, the bands will give a concert for the public, in the Hurricane room of the Buena Vista hotel.

Tickets for the Saturday night concert have been issued to the directors of the school bands on the coast. The committee is asking every school and town on the coast to get together and show our visitors that the Mississippi Gulf Coast people are supporters of our school band music programs. The committee further asks that the people from the coast cities turn out in large numbers for the fine concert which will be presented by the clinic bands on Saturday night, December 10, at 8:00 p. m., in the Hurricane room of the Buena Vista hotel, Biloxi. Tickets may be purchased from the members of the Saint Stanislaus band.

The complete program of the clinic will appear in next week's issue of this publication. Anyone may attend any of the day sessions and see how 180 school musicians, most of them strangers to each other, work under the baton of a guest conductor unknown to them.

FLIES...

Jersey	Player	Age	Where Born	Yrs. on Squad
32	John Boys	10	Wayne, Pa.	1
27	William Cassidy	12	Hammond, La.	1
23	Sam Cerniglia	10	New Orleans, La.	1
9	Richard Daigle	11	New Orleans, La.	1
3	Sidney Doussan	11	New Orleans, La.	2
16	Leo Dronet	13	New Orleans, La.	1
22	Eddie Harrell	10	New Orleans, La.	4
12	Philip Kramer	11	Jennings, La.	1
7	William Maldonado	12	Monterey, Mexico	1
1	William Martin	12	Guatemala City	1
6	Larry Mathes	11	New Orleans, La.	1
8	Thomas Monti	10	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	4
15	Wallace Papadopolo	14	Guatemala City	1
10	Woodie Santa Cruz	12	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
4	Albert Saucier	11	New Orleans, La.	3
28	Jerry Saurage	10	Baton Rouge, La.	1
11	Alvin Scafidi	12	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
26	James Taylor	9	New Orleans, La.	1
7	Michael Adams	9	Little Rock, Ark.	1
3	Robert Carver	9	Waveland, Miss.	2
12	George Cassard	11	New Orleans, La.	1
4	Donald Cuevas	12	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	6
13	Leonard Daigle	10	New Orleans, La.	1
14	John Demoran	11	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
12	Raymond Ellis	11	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
7	Larry Fayard	11	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	7
2	George Ferry	11	New Orleans, La.	2
9	Robert Guastella	10	New Orleans, La.	2
8	Thomas Karl	12	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
3	George Lehleitner	10	New Orleans, La.	1
2	Bernard Levy	11	New Orleans, La.	1
5	John Lewis	10	New Orleans, La.	1
13	Joe Lucas	13	New Orleans, La.	4
11	Louis Maumus	12	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	8
15	Don Monteleone	10	New Orleans, La.	2
1	Billy Prewitt	11	New Orleans, La.	5
8	Frank Rapier	10	New Orleans, La.	1
10	John Sebastian	10	New Orleans, La.	1
6	James Shadoin	10	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
5	Walter Shettlemore	10	Fargo, North Dakota	1
11	John Terranova	11	New Orleans, La.	2
6	Gus Thomas	9	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	5
65	Lexie Assenheimer	6	New Orleans, La.	1
70	Jeffrey Bernard	10	New Orleans, La.	1
89	Edmond Blaize	9	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
90	Donald Compretta	9	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
97	Pat Curran	8	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	3
67	Emmett Demoran	7	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
66	Edmund Fahey	7	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	2
88	Donald Green	9	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
96	Herman Jacobi	7	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
94	Gary Karl	10	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
95	Robert Karl	6	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
71	Mickey Ladner	8	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	4
98	Terry Ladner	7	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
93	Joseph Loiacano	8	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
92	Leroy Necaise	9	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
72	Lars Phillips	6	Copenhagen, Denmark	1
91	John Saucier	8	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	2
99	Carlo Scafidi	9	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
69	Albert Strong	7	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
64	Burt Taylor	8	Bay St. Louis, Miss.	1
68	Ronald Williams	8	Beaumont, Texas	1

SPORTLIGHT...

This Is Their Day. . . .

By Lucien Gex

For the past three months the air around the campus has been filled with football, and talk of football. Excitement has been high over the Varsity and Junior games, and all attention has been directed toward them. The little fellows have been in the background for this time, and this Sunday will be their chance to shine. The whole day will be devoted to them, a parade will be held before the game, with the entire squad of Fleas and Flies marching to the stadium.

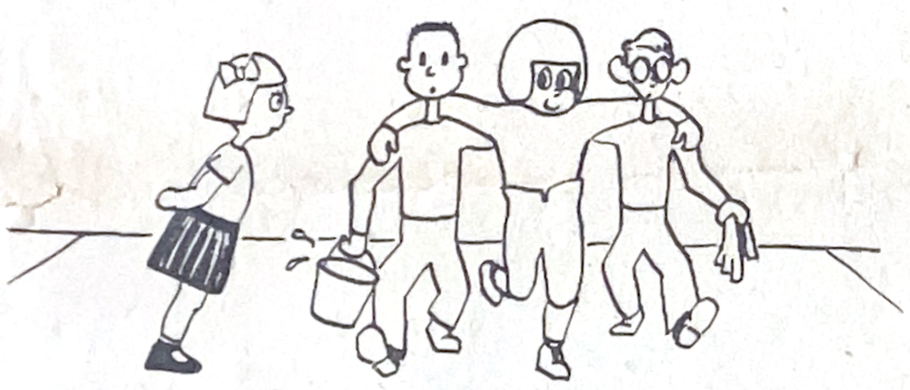
The Varsity squad has been very well supported this year —let's give all this support, and more, to the Fleas and Flies this Sunday. They are playing for a worthy cause, and this will be the only day they will get to show the fine football they have learned in the weeks of practice games in the yard.

Records Of Fly-Flea Rivals

Although the two correspondents and reporters of the Rock-A-Chaw staff searched through every conceivable record book to find the entire results over thirty-three years history of the contests, Larry Scharff and Don Levy were able to unearth only scores for the past eighteen years.

1932	Fleas 13	Flies 7	1941	Fleas 6	Flies 6
1933	Fleas 0	Flies 7	1942	Fleas 13	Flies 24
1934	Fleas 6	Flies 6	1943	Fleas 6	Flies 13
1935	Fleas 19	Flies 13	1944	Fleas 20	Flies 26
1936	Fleas 0	Flies 19	1945	Fleas 18	Flies 7
1937	Fleas 20	Flies 0	1946	Fleas 13	Flies 8
1938	Fleas 12	Flies 6	1947	Fleas 26	Flies 20
1939	Fleas 7	Flies 0	1948	Fleas 6	Flies 7
1940	Fleas 13	Flies 6	1949	Fleas ?	Flies ?

In the series the Fleas were victorious nine times, the Flies, six times. Two games ended in ties. From past performances the writer predicts a good game in which anything can happen. Not to show favoritism the Rock-A-Chaw Staff picks the Flies to win the first "Three Quarter Half". And the Fleas the second "Three Quarter Half". Who'll win the game? Your guess is as good as ours!



Oh! The Poor Boy!

All-Americans Of The Future. . . .

This may sound funny in 1949, but literally speaking, this is true. Every little fellow who plays in that game Sunday is helping his less fortunate neighbors in Hancock County to a more enjoyable Christmas. By this, we speak of the Brother Peter Christmas Tree Fund, which gives toys and gifts of food to the poor people of this County. In the past, this benefit was supported by a Harvest ball and the annual football game, but for the last few years the Ball has been discontinued, and the happy Christmases of many people hinge solely on the energetic sale of tickets by Fleas and Flies themselves. And so "Hats Off to you All Americans of the future, in your charity of the present.

A Few Tinymite Pick-Ups

Here's a new one, you football pool fiends—pick the score of the Flea-Fly game, , , ,, Here's hoping "Eddie" and "J. M." can sweat down a couple of pounds to be eligible for to-day's game. They could sure fill up a lot of space in the center of the line. . . . New version of hidden ball play—one "gnat" (small Fly), hiding behind ball instead of vice-versa . . .

Anything Could Happen. . . .

There can be no doubt about the outcome of this game as far as a Rock-A-Chaw victory is concerned. Saint Stanislaus should win! But by some trick of fate it could happen that this generally high-scoring contest may result in a tie that would go in the record books as a half game won and lost.

Assistants and Managers

Completing the coaching staff are these boys, either assistants or managers, who made themselves useful in "big day" preparations. Assistants: Walter Lyttle, Gerald Lyttle, Howard Gilmore, and Gerald Gex. Managers: Victor Richard, James Becnel, Auburn Thibodeaux, Max Menk, Peter Latino, and George Crane. Missing from the picture are Toni Stimmel and Vincent Fertitta.

Alumni Representing Various Fields Of Endeavor Former Fleas and Flies

Much water has gone under the bridge since the inauguration of this Flea-Fly Classic; and many of the participants in that interim have since become distinguished Alumni in many fields of endeavor. Difficult would it be to name all; but for the sake of the records a few of the best well known are here mentioned.

"WOP" GLOVER, Assistant Coach of South Eastern, La.; "JOE GLOVER, Syracuse, New York; TUGA GLOVER, New Orleans, La.; DAVID GLOVER, Opelousas, La., Manager of Firestone Company; JOHN SCAFIDE, Line Coach and Scout of Buffalo Bills of the American Professional League; MARCHY SCHWARTZ, Coach and Athletic Director of Stanford University; DONALD ARCENEAUX Coach of St. Peter's in New Iberia La.; V. J. GIANELLONI, L. S. U.; NANO GIANELLONI, Tackle at University of Illinois; TONY GIANELLONI, Pilot of Pan-American Airways; BOBBY CAMORS, Business Managar of Ford Co., Bay St. Louis, Mississippi; EDDIE BLAIZE, BERNARD BLAIZE, OSMOND BLAIZE, EDMUND BLAIZE —all of Bay Saint Louis, Mississippi; G Y. BLAIZE, New Orleans, La.; MAT MUNTZ, Shell Oil Co., Norco, Louisiana; BILLY APP, Manager of Export Division of American Express; PETER BANVILLE, Manager of Pure Carbonic Co., New Orleans, Louisiana; GEORGE TOCA, Dixie Steel Co., New Orleans, La.; ANDREW BECKER Post Office Clerk, Bay St. Louis, Miss, FRANK TRAPANI of Bay Saint Louis.

What the future holds for our little participants in today's game is, of course, a matter of conjecture but from data collected from these chaps, it seems that young as they are, they do have some kind of an idea what they would like to do come the day they are "on their own."

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Stanislaus Boxers To Report For Practice Mon., Nov. 28

Coach Dick Thames has announced that all boys interested in boxing and aspiring to make the squad this year, are requested to report to Room A immediately after school, Monday November 28.

Various Systems Previewed Today In Midget Match

It's the "T", Notre Dame Box, and Single Wing systems of attack which will prevail as the tinymites go into action this afternoon in a football variety show which should prove interesting from any system considered.

Coaches Hesitant

The coaches were somewhat hesitant about divulging plans of attack mainly because they were doubtful as to whether or not these systems would be recognized. So many new offenses inject themselves into a fray of this sort—the Fleas and Flies see to that—that it would be very problematical if assignments would be carried out in accordance with the practice sessions.

Use One System

Notable is it that three of the aggregations are well satisfied with one system; but also notable is it that Squad I of the Flies prefer the straight "T". Squads III of the Flies and Fleas consider the Single Wing formation much more adaptable to the material on hand; and will use that exclusively.

Versatility Keynote

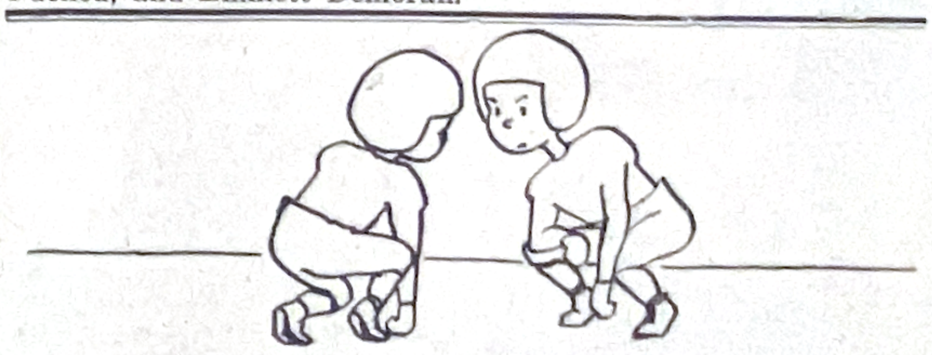
Evidently versatility is the keynote of Squads I and II of the Fleas, who prefer to handle two systems—power and trickiness combined. There will be no "flies in their ointment" as they take the field with either the "T" formation or the Single Wing offense to choose from.

Irish Adherents

Notre Dame always has its adherents; and, consequently, Squad II of the Flies will attempt to bring glory to itself via the famous "Box". Should they fail to be as effective as the "Mighty Irish" from South Bend in their own little way, they will switch to the "T" formation—but fast!

Regardless of what happens, there is much assured in the use of a variety of systems—all at a premium!

Alternating expressions of half-smile, post grid tilt defeat, grin, and bashfulness are registered on these paper weight representative. Left to right: Robert Karl, Lexie Assenheimer, Carlos Pucheu, and Emmett Demoran.



I'LL MOW YA DOWN!